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SUBJECT: STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT ON THE DEATH
OF AMBASSADOR ADOLPH DUBS

THE WHITE HOUSE RELEASED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT FROM
PRESIDENT CARTER ABOARD AIR FORCE ONE ENROUTE TO
MEXICO ON FEBRUARY 14:

"I AM SHOCKED AND SADDENED BY THE MURDER OF AMBASSADOR
ADOLPH DUBS IN KABUL THIS MORNING. THE ACT OF BRUTALITY
WHICH TOOK HIS LIFE HAS DEPRIVED OUR NATION OF ONE OF ITS
MOST ABLE PUBLIC SERVANTS.

THROUGHOUT HIS DISTINGUISHED CAREER IN THE FOREIGN
SERVICE, AMBASSADOR DUBS TOOK ON DIFFICULT AND
CHALLENGING JOBS, PERFORMING THEM WITH EXEMPLARY
DEDICATION AND SKILL. HE DIED AS HE LIVED -- IN THE
SERVICE OF HIS COUNTRY -- AND THE MANNER OF HIS DEATH
REDOUBLES OUR DEDICATION TO THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE
KIND OF SENSELESS VIOLENCE WHICH TOOK HIS LIFE. MY
THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY OF AMBASSADOR
DUBS." CHRISTOPHER

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